

Town of Newmarket Council Information Package

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None.

From: Candice Doiron < CDoiron@brighton.ca>

Sent: September 21, 2022 3:58 PM

Subject: Resolution for support regarding streamlining governing legislation for Physicians in Ontario

Good afternoon;

Please find below a resolution requesting support for streamlining governing legislation for Physicians in Ontario.

Resolution No. COU-2022-346

Moved by Councillor Ron Anderson Seconded by Councillor Emily Rowley

Whereas attracting primary health care providers, including doctors, to Brighton and other small communities has been a difficult task;

And Whereas the Provincial Government announced a tuition program to attract nurses to underserved areas of Ontario;

Now be it resolved that the Municipality of Brighton Council requests that the Government of Ontario provide funding and change legislation to allow the College of Physicians & Surgeons of Ontario (CPSO) to implement the changes proposed in their letter to the Minister of Health on August 18, 2022. Which includes:

- Exempting IEP's from the regulatory requirement to have Canadian experience (re-do residency) where all other requirements are met; and
- Implementing Practice Ready Assessment programs similar to those already used in seven (7) other provinces.

And further that the Government of Ontario develop a similar tuition program to attract family doctors to underserved areas of Ontario;

And further that this motion is circulated to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Health, MPP David Piccini, and all municipalities across Ontario and the Association of the Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) for endorsement.

Kind Regards,

Candice Doiron Municipal Clerk

Municipality of Brighton 35 Alice Street PO Box 189 Brighton, ON KOK 1H0 cdoiron@brighton.ca

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Legislative Services Michael de Rond 905-726-4771 clerks@aurora.ca

Town of Aurora 100 John West Way, Box 1000 Aurora, ON L4G 6J1

September 22, 2022

Delivered by email premier@ontario.ca

The Honourable Doug Ford Premier of Ontario Premier's Office, Room 281 Legislative Building, Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier:

Re: Town of Aurora Council Resolution of September 20, 2022
Item 8.1.1 Community Presentation – Dr. Jacqueline Benn-John, Executive
Director, and Lindsay Carbonero, Board Member, The Women's Support Network
of York Region; Re: Request to Endorse Resolution for Increased and Sustainable
Funding for Community-based Sexual Assault Support Centres

Please be advised that this matter was considered by Council at its meeting held on September 20, 2022, and in this regard, Council adopted the following resolution:

- 1. That the community presentation from The Women's Support Network of York Region be received; and
- 2. That Council endorse the draft resolution provided in the presentation; and
- 3. That a copy of this resolution be sent to all York Region municipalities and the Province of Ontario.

The above is for your consideration and any attention deemed necessary.

Yours sincerely,

Michael de Rond

Town Clerk

The Corporation of the Town of Aurora

Town of Aurora Council Resolution of September 20, 2022 September 22, 2022

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MdR/lb

Attachment: Copy of Resolution endorsed by Town of Aurora Council; Re: Support for Women's Support Network of York Region to Receive Increased and Sustainable Provincial Funding

Copy: All York Region municipalities

Women's Support Network of York Region: Request to The Town of Aurora **Resolution** 2022

1. **Item for Discussion – Support for** Women's Support Network of York Region to Receive Increased and Sustainable Provincial Funding

WHEREAS Women's Support Network of York Region has provided support and advocacy for survivors of recent or historical sexual violence, and prevention education in York Region since 1992;

AND WHEREAS the number of survivors needing access to crisis counselling and long-term counselling programs has increased since 1992;

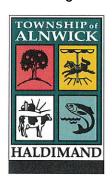
AND WHEREAS ongoing underfunding of Women's Support Network of York Region has reduced the number of resources available to provide these services due to highly specialized skill requirements that are unmatched by low wages and benefits relative to other mental health funded positions;

AND WHEREAS the current COVID-19 pandemic has resulted in increased people in the community requiring the services of Women's Support Network of York Region;

AND WHEREAS sexual violence disproportionately impacts our community's most vulnerable members including women and girls, trans, and non-binary people, people with disabilities, and people who identify as Black, First Nations, Metis, Indigenous, racialized, and/or 2SLGBTQIA+1;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT increased and sustainable provincial funding for Women's Support Network of York Region funding and other community-based sexual assault centres be supported for priority consideration by the Provincial Government and its agencies.

¹ 2SLGBTQIA+ is an acronym that stands for Two-Spirit, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer or Questioning, Intersex, Asexual, and additional sexual orientations and gender identities.



September 23, 2022

Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) 200 University Avenue, Suite 801 Toronto, ON M5H 3C6 resolutions@amo.on.ca

Re: Support of Resolution – OMAFRA Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program Administrative Fee

At the Township of Alnwick/Haldimand's Regular Council Meeting held on September 15, 2022, Council received the resolution sent by Tay Valley Township regarding a request to the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs to review the administrative fee provided to municipalities for the administration of the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program. Council of the Township of Alnwick/ Haldimand supported and passed the following resolution:

R-336-2022

Moved by Deputy Mayor Sherry Gibson, seconded by Councillor Jim Hogg;

"Be it resolved that the correspondence from Tay Valley Township dated August 31, 2022, RE: Support of Resolution - OMAFRA Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program Administrative Fee, be received; and

Further that Council of the Township of Alnwick/Haldimand supports the resolution from Tay Valley Township to request the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs to review the administrative fee provided to the Municipalities for the administration of the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program; and

Further that this resolution be circulated to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and all Ontario Municipalities for their consideration and support.

CARRIED

A copy of the above noted resolution from Tay Valley Township is attached for your reference.

Sincerely yours,

Yoʻlanda Melburn, Deputy Clerk Township of Alnwick/Haldimand

905-349-2822 ext. 32 ymelburn@ahtwp.ca

cc: Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (minister.omafra@ontario.ca)
All Ontario Municipalities, MPP David Piccini (david.piccinico@pc.ola.org)



August 31, 2022

Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) 200 University Ave., Suite 801 Toronto, ON M5H 3C6 Sent via email: resolutions@amo.on.ca

RE: RESOLUTION – OMAFRA Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program Administrative Fee

The Council of the Corporation of Tay Valley Township at it's Council meeting on August 23rd, 2022 adopted the following resolution:

RESOLUTION #C-2022-08-42

"WHEREAS, the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (OMAFRA) administers the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program to provide compensation to farm producers for livestock killed by wildlife;

AND WHEREAS, Ontario Municipalities administer the Program on behalf of OMAFRA by appointing a Livestock Investigator and staff to work on wildlife damage claims;

AND WHEREAS, the costs associated with wildlife damage claims typically exceed the administration fee of \$50.00 per claim as provided to the Municipality from OMAFRA;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Council of Tay Valley Township request the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs to review the administrative fee provided to Municipalities for the administration of the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program;

AND FURTHER THAT, this resolution be circulated to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and all Ontario Municipalities for their consideration and support."

ADOPTED



If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at (613) 267-5353 ext. 130 or deputyclerk@tayvalleytwp.ca.

Sincerely,

Janie Laidlaw, Deputy Clerk

cc: All Municipalities of Ontario



September 26, 2022

Ministry of the Solicitor General Hon. Michael Kerzner 25 Grosvenor Street Toronto, ON M7A 1Y6

Hon. Minister Kerzner:

Re: Grey Highlands Municipal Resolution 2022-571 re: Increased Speeding Fines

Please be advised that the following resolution was passed at the September 7, 2022 meeting of the Council of the Municipality of Grey Highlands.

Sent via email: Michael.kerzner@ontario.ca

2022-571

Dane Nielsen, Danielle Valiquette

Whereas speeding has become a growing concern on our residential streets; and

Whereas the culture of driver's is that 20 km/h over the speed limit is considered normal; and

Whereas the fines for street racing have increased significantly and we have seen a reduction in number of charges laid; and

Whereas the fines for other speed infractions have remained unchanged; now Therefore be it resolved that the municipality of Grey Highlands lobby the Ministry of the Solicitor General to increase the fines for all levels of speeding; and

That this motion be sent to AMO, ROMA, and all municipalities of Ontario to garner support.

CARRIED.

If you require anything further, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

Raylene Martell

Director of Legislative Services/Municipal Clerk

Municipality of Grey Highlands

Cc: Association of Municipalities of Ontario

Rural Ontario Municipalities All Ontario Municipalities

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September 26, 2022

Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs 1 Stone Road West Guelph, ON N1G 2Y1

Re: Support for the Municipality of Tweed's Resolution #22-18-22 regarding Ontario wildlife Damage Compensation Program Administrative Fee's

At the Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan's regular meeting of Council on September 20, 2022, resolution #2022-300 was considered and adopted, as follows:

"That the correspondence regarding Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program, be received,

AND

WHEREAS the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (OMAFRA) administers the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program to provide compensation to farm producers for livestock killed by wildlife;

AND WHEREAS Ontario Municipalities administer the Program on behalf of OMAFRA by appointing Livestock Investigators and staff to work on wildlife damage claims;

AND WHEREAS the costs associated with wildlife damage claims exceed the administration fee of \$50.00 per claim as provided to the Municipality by OMAFRA;

NEW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Municipality of Powassan request the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs review the administration fee provided to Municipalities for the administration of the Ontario Wildlife Compensation Program;

AND FURTHER THAT this resolution be circulated to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario and all Ontario Municipalities for their consideration and support".

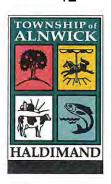
CARRIED

Copies of the letters that were sent, bringing this to Council's attention, are included. We support the Municipality of Tweed's request that the Ministry consider increasing the administration fee on wildlife claims to help offset the costs associated with Livestock Investigation.

Allison Quinn Deputy Clerk

Sincerel

Cc: Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and Ontario Municipalities



September 23, 2022

Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) 200 University Avenue, Suite 801 Toronto, ON M5H 3C6 resolutions@amo.on.ca

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R-336-2022

Moved by Deputy Mayor Sherry Gibson, seconded by Councillor Jim Hogg;

"Be it resolved that the correspondence from Tay Valley Township dated August 31, 2022, RE: Support of Resolution - OMAFRA Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program Administrative Fee, be received; and

Further that Council of the Township of Alnwick/Haldimand supports the resolution from Tay Valley Township to request the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs to review the administrative fee provided to the Municipalities for the administration of the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program; and

Further that this resolution be circulated to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and all Ontario Municipalities for their consideration and support.

CARRIED

A copy of the above noted resolution from Tay Valley Township is attached for your reference.

Sincerely yours,

Yolanda Melburn, Deputy Clerk Township of Alnwick/Haldimand

905-349-2822 ext. 32 ymelburn@ahtwp.ca

cc: Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (minister.omafra@ontario.ca)
All Ontario Municipalities, MPP David Piccini (david.piccinico@pc.ola.org)



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September 2, 2022

Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs 1 Stone Road West Guelph, ON N1G 2Y1

Re: Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program

Dear Minister,

Please be advised that at the August 23rd meeting, the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Ashfield-Colborne-Wawanosh considered and adopted the following resolution.

Moved by Roger Watt Seconded by Jennifer Miltenburg

WHEREAS the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (OMAFRA) administers the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program to provide compensation to farm producers for livestock killed by wildlife;

AND WHEREAS Ontario Municipalities administer the Program on behalf of OMAFRA by appointing Livestock Investigators and staff to work on wildlife damage claims;

AND WHEREAS the costs associated with wildlife damage claims exceed the administration fee of \$50.00 per claim as provided to the Municipality by OMAFRA;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Township of Ashfield-Colborne-Wawanosh request the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs review the administration fee provided to Municipalities for the administration of the Ontario Wildlife Compensation Program;

AND FURTHER THAT this resolution be circulated to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario and all Ontario Municipalities for their consideration and support.

Carried

I also enclose the letter and resolution that brought the issue to Council's agenda. If you require any clarification or further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Florence Witherspoon Municipal Clerk

acwtownship.ca

The Corporation of the

MUNICIPALITY OF TWEED

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July 4, 2022

Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
1 Stone Road West
Guelph, ON N1G 4Y2

Dear Minister:

Re: Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program

We are writing to you today on behalf of our municipality regarding the administration fees related to wildlife damage claims. This program is necessary to protect our farm producers from the devastating losses incurred when they lose livestock to predators.

At the June 28, 2022 Regular Council Meeting the attached Resolution was passed by Council.

Our Council's concern is the administration fee paid to municipalities to administer the program on the Ministry's behalf which was recently increased from \$30.00 per claim to \$50.00 per claim.

We have recently contracted for a new Livestock Investigator resulting in the following costs directly related to wildlife claims:

Hourly Rate: \$25.00/hour Mileage Rate: .50/km

On the most recent invoice for this service there were three wildlife claims with costs as follows:

- 1. April 28, 2022 3 hours + mileage = \$95.00
- 2. May 5, 2022 2.5 hours + mileage = \$75.00
- 3. May 8, 2022 3.5 hours + mileage = \$120.00

There is also time spent by municipal staff in preparing the wildlife claims for submission and monitoring the claims for payment to the livestock owner.

This results in a loss on each wildlife claim for our taxpayers to bear to be able to provide this necessary service to our farm producers.

Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Page 2 July 4, 2022

We respectfully request that the Ministry consider increasing the administration fee on wildlife claims to help offset the increasing costs associated with Livestock Investigation.

We look forward to hearing from you about this matter at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

Gloria Raybone, CPA, CA

CAO/Treasurer

Encl.

cc. Association of Municipalities of Ontario Ontario Municipalities

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Municipality of Tweed Council Meeting Council Meeting

Resolution No.

42

Title:

Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs

Date:

Tuesday, June 28, 2022



Moved by

Brian Treanor

Seconded by

Jacob Palmateer

WHEREAS the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs administers the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program to provide compensation to farm producers for livestock killed by wildlife;

AND WHEREAS Ontario Municipalities administer the Program on behalf of OMAFRA by appointing a Livestock Investigator and staff to work on wildlife damage claims;

AND WHEREAS the costs associated with wildlife damage claims typically exceed the administration fee of \$50.00 per claim as provided to the Municipality by OMAFRA;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Municipality of Tweed request the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs to review the administration fee provided to funicipalities for the administration of the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program:

AND FURTHER, that this Resolution be circulated to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and all Ontario Municipalities for their consideration and support.

Carried

Mayor

y albert



August 31, 2022

Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) 200 University Ave., Suite 801 Toronto, ON M5H 3C6 Sent via email: resolutions@amo.on.ca

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ADOPTED



If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at (613) 267-5353 ext. 130 or deputyclerk@tayvalleytwp.ca.

Sincerely,

Janie Laidlaw, Deputy Clerk

cc: All Municipalities of Ontario



Simon Granat

Legislative Coordinator Town of Newmarket 395 Mulock Drive P.O. Box 328 Station Main Newmarket, ON L3Y 4X7 Email: sgranat@newmarket.ca

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September 30, 2022

Sent to:

Dear Dean Askin:

RE: Proclamation Request – Light it Up! For NDEAM – October 2022

I am writing to advise that your proclamation request has been approved in accordance with the Council-approved <u>Proclamation</u>, <u>Lighting Request and Community Flag Raising Policy</u>, and the Town of Newmarket will proclaim October 2022 as National Disability Employment Awareness Month. Your proclamation request will be communicated on the Town's Twitter account, and on the Town's website on the Proclamation and Lighting Request page.

In addition, I am writing to advise that your lighting request for October 20, 2022 has not been approved in accordance with the Council-approved <u>Proclamation</u>, <u>Lighting and Community Flag Raising Request Policy</u>. As per the criteria outlined in section(s) 2.6, proclamations will not be issued for, "Lighting requests for a particular day will be approved on a first come first serve basis. If there is a Town event, that requires the lighting of a particular colour, that Town event will take precedence over any applications for a lighting request received."

If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Granat

Legislative Coordinator



September 30, 2022

Sent to:

Dear Dean Askin:

JOHN / XYLOR

RE: Proclamation Request - Light it Up! For NDEAM

On behalf of the Town of Newmarket Council I am pleased to recognize October 2022 as National Disability Employment Awareness Month.

Thank you for submitting your request and for your contributions to the community.

Yours sincerely,

John Taylor Mayor



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September 30, 2022

Sent to:

Dear Daphne Grant:

RE: Proclamation Request – Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance

I am writing to advise that your proclamation request has been approved in accordance with the Council-approved <u>Proclamation</u>, <u>Lighting Request and Community Flag Raising Policy</u>, and the Town of Newmarket will proclaim October 2022 as National Disability Employment Awareness Month. Your proclamation request will be communicated on the Town's Twitter account, and on the Town's website on the Proclamation and Lighting Request page.

In addition, the Riverwalk Commons and Fred A. Lundy Bridge located on Water Street will be illuminated in pink on October 13 to recognize Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day Please note that the lighting will occur from sunset until 11:00 PM.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Granat

Legislative Coordinator



September 30, 2022

Sent to:		
Dear Da	aphne Grant:	

JOHN TAYLOR

RE: Proclamation Request – Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance

On behalf of the Town of Newmarket Council I am pleased to recognize October 2022 as Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Month.

In addition, the Riverwalk Commons and Fred A. Lundy Bridge located on Water Street will be illuminated in pink on October 13, 2022 from sunset until 11:00 PM.

Thank you for submitting your request and for your contributions to the community.

Yours sincerely,

John Taylor Mayor



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Fax: 905-953-5100

September 30, 2022

Sent to:

Dear Sarah Khouri:

RE: Proclamation Request – Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day

I am writing to advise that your proclamation request has been approved in accordance with the Council-approved <u>Proclamation</u>, <u>Lighting Request and Community Flag Raising Policy</u>, and the Town of Newmarket will proclaim October 15, 2022 as Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day. Your proclamation request will be communicated on the Town's Twitter account, and on the Town's website on the Proclamation and Lighting Request page.

In addition, I am writing to advise that your proclamation request for Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Month and your lighting request for October 15, 2022 have not been approved in accordance with the Council-approved <u>Proclamation</u>, <u>Lighting and Community Flag Raising Request Policy</u>. As per the criteria outlined in section(s) 2.6, proclamations will not be issued for, "Lighting requests for a particular day will be approved on a first come first serve basis. If there is a Town event, that requires the lighting of a particular colour, that Town event will take precedence over any applications for a lighting request received."

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Yours sincerely,

Simon Granat

Legislative Coordinator



September 30, 2022

Sent to:

Dear Sarah Khouri:

JOHN THYLOR

RE: Proclamation Request - Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day

On behalf of the Town of Newmarket Council I am pleased to recognize October 15, 2022 as Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day.

Thank you for submitting your request and for your contributions to the community.

Yours sincerely,

John Taylor Mayor



Simon Granat

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September 30, 2022

Sent to:

Dear Amanda Romano

RE: Proclamation Request – Waste Reduction Week – October 17 to 23, 2022

I am writing to advise that your proclamation request has been approved in accordance with the Council-approved <u>Proclamation</u>, <u>Lighting Request and Community Flag Raising Policy</u>, and the Town of Newmarket will proclaim October 17 to 23, 2022 as Waste Reduction Week. Your proclamation request will be communicated on the Town's Twitter account, and on the Town's website on the Proclamation and Lighting Request page.

In addition, your lighting request has not been approved in accordance with the Council-approved Proclamation, Lighting and Community Flag Raising Request Policy. As per the criteria outlined in section(s) 2.6 proclamations will not be issued for, "Lighting requests for a particular day will be approved on a first come first serve basis. If there is a Town event, that requires the lighting of a particular colour, that Town event will take precedence over any applications for a lighting request received."

If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Granat

Legislative Coordinator



September 30, 2022

Sent to:		
Dear An	nanda Romano:	

JOHN / XYLOR

RE: Proclamation Request - Waste Reduction Week - October 17 to 23, 2022

On behalf of the Town of Newmarket Council I am pleased to recognize October 17 to 23, 2022 as Waste Reduction Week.

Thank you for submitting your request and for your contributions to the community.

Yours sincerely,

John Taylor Mayor



Simon Granat

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September 30, 2022

Sent to:

Dear Hawwa Chakera:

RE: Lighting Request – Shine a Teal Light Campaign

I am writing to advise that your lighting request has been approved in accordance with the Council-approved Proclamation, Lighting Request and Community Flag Raising Policy, and the Riverwalk Commons and Fred A. Lundy Bridge located on Water Street will be illuminated in teal on October 31, 2022 to recognize the Shine a Teal Light Campaign for food allergy awareness. Please note that the lighting will occur from sunset until 11:00 PM.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Granat

Legislative Coordinator



August 15, 2022

Good morning,

Benefiting more than 3 million children and families since 1983.

Founder Suzy Yehl Marta

Founding National Director Thelma Cockburn

National Director, Canada Kimberly Thomson

Canadian Governing Board Carol Bertram, Chair Brian Galbraith Andrea Urban Wayne Kobilnyk Ken Clarke Nicole Cianci Rainbows for All Children Canada Inc. and several other children's mental health and bereavement groups throughout Canada will commemorate National Children's Grief Awareness Day on Thursday, November 17, 2022. We would greatly appreciate it if you could join us on this special day, as we show our support for children who are suffering through grief, loss, and/or separation.

Our goal is to spread awareness by illuminating buildings, landmarks, and structures all across Canada in BLUE, and we are asking for YOUR support by lighting up Riverwalk Commons and the Fred A. Lundy Bridge for the duration of the 17th, as well as posting it to your social media platforms.

The loss of a parental figure, family member, or friend, can result in a variety of mental and physical health compromising issues for a child, especially when they're not given an adequate opportunity to grieve and heal. These issues include, but are not limited to, loneliness, reckless behaviour, self-harm, substance abuse, depression and suicide. Children who are impacted also have a tendency to lose much of their self-confidence, drive, and ambition, and they begin to exhibit a rapidly deteriorating relationship with school, their classmates, and the many things that used to bring them joy. Rainbows For All Children is on a mission to break this vicious cycle by holding Children's Grief Awareness Day to show grieving children in Canada that they are loved, and that there are support systems available to them, whenever and wherever they need it.

Consider this:

- It is estimated that 1 in every 14 children will lose a parent or sibling before the age of 18.
- Over 203,000 Canadian youth under the age of 18 will lose someone in their extended family in a single year.
- Every year, roughly 1.2 million children in Canada experience the separation or divorce of their parents during their childhood.
- It is estimated that roughly 41,000 children, aged 0-17, are left behind every year, which is 112 newly bereaved children every day.
- Childhood trauma can make an individual 2.5 times more likely to develop chronic obstructive pulmonary disease or hepatitis, 4 times more likely to develop major depression, and 12 times more likely to develop suicidal tendencies.



Thursday, November 17, 2022 is a chance to let bereaved children know they are not forgotten or alone in their sorrow, loss, and/or mourning. As we join together to demonstrate our support for these children, we also ask that Canadians wear blue and that landmarks be lit up in blue.

This day is recognized by the public and business sectors at the federal, provincial, regional, and municipal levels, including official recognition and proclamations from the elected officials offices across the country. This support has allowed us to light up several renowned buildings and landmarks across Canada, including the CN Tower, Peace Bridge, Niagara Falls, Pedestrian Bridge, Sails of Light, BC place, Fitzsimmons Bridge and many more. This year, we are trying to reach new heights and we hope that we can also add Riverwalk Commons and the Fred A. Lundy Bridge to our list.

We hope to see your support by lighting up <u>Riverwalk Commons and the Fred A.</u>
<u>Lundy Bridge</u> on National Children's Grief Awareness Day and we are looking forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely.

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September 30, 2022

Sent to:

Dear Naomi Hiesl:

RE: Lighting Request – National Children's Grief Awareness Day

I am writing to advise that your lighting request has been approved in accordance with the Council-approved <u>Proclamation</u>, <u>Lighting Request and Community Flag Raising Policy</u>, and the Town of Newmarket will illuminate the Riverwalk Commons and Fred A. Lundy Bridge located on Water Street in blue on November 17, 2022 to recognize National Children's Grief Awareness Day. Please note that the lighting will occur from sunset until 11:00 PM.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Granat

Legislative Coordinator